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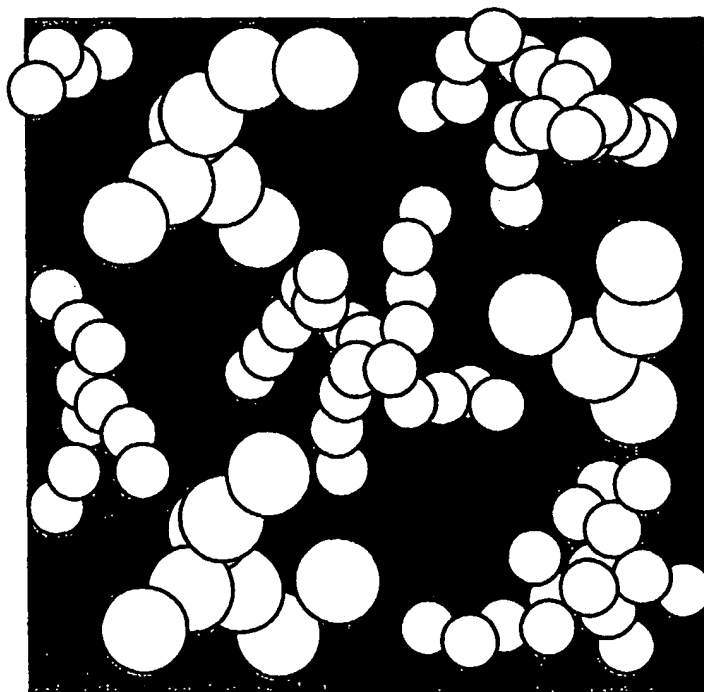
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(57) Abstract: Stable, aqueous dispersion containing powders A and B, - wherein powder A is an amorphous silicon dioxide powder having an average particle diameter of 0.05 to 0.7  $\mu\text{m}$  and a BET surface area of 5 to 50  $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$ , and - wherein powder B is a metal oxide or non-metal oxide powder consisting of aggregates of intergrown primary particles and displays a primary particle size of 5 to 50 nm and a BET surface area of 50 to 400  $\text{m}^2/\text{g}$ . Coating slip to form an ink-absorptive coating using the dispersion and at least one hydrophilic binder. Absorptive medium using the coating slip and a support.

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